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Please find below and/or attached an Office communication concerning this application or proceeding.

The time period for reply, if any, is set in the attached communication.

37 CFR § 1.105 - Requirement for Information

1. Applicant and the assignee of this application are required under 37 CFR 1.105 to provide the following information that the examiner has determined is reasonably necessary to the examination of this application.

2. The information is required to enter in the record the art suggested by the applicant as relevant to this examination in the background of the specification (§ 5), including "BEA TUXEDO Reference Manual," "Notification Service: OMG Technical Committee Document telecom/98-06-15," "The Common Object Request Broker: Architecture and Specification, Revision 2.2, February 1998," and "CORBAService: chapter 4, Event Service Specification, March 1997."

The Assignee of the instant application (Bea Systems, Inc.) appears to have released various versions of BEA Tuxedo Services. For example, the Examiner has located a description of BEA Tuxedo Release 7.1 on [URL: <http://edocs.bea.com/tuxedo/tux71/html/dvlibra7.htm>]. Many of the features of the claimed invention correspond to features disclosed in the description of BEA Tuxedo Release 7.1. Please provide the release date of and explain the differences, if any, between the claimed invention and any releases of BEA Tuxedo made public prior to Applicants' earliest priority date of December 12, 2000. Also, please provide information regarding the names of the inventors of BEA Tuxedo (all releases that were made public prior to December 12, 2000) so that the Examiner may assess which inventions were invented by which inventive entity.

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In addition to the various releases of BEA Tuxedo services, please provide the names of any products or services that have incorporated the claimed subject matter.

In response to this requirement, please provide the citation and a copy of each publication which any of the applicants authored or co-authored and which describe the claimed subject matter of the event-based subscription system, method, and computer program product, as defined in the claimed invention.

In response to this requirement, please provide the citation and a copy of each publication that any of the applicants relied upon to draft the claimed subject matter. For each publication, please provide a concise explanation of the reliance placed on that publication in distinguishing the claimed subject matter from the prior art.

In response to this requirement, please state the specific improvements of the claimed subject matter in claims 1-54 over the disclosed prior art and indicate the specific elements in the claimed subject matter that provide those improvements. For those claims expressed as means or steps plus function, please provide the specific page and line numbers within the disclosure which describe the claimed structure and acts.

3. The fee and certification requirements of 37 C.F.R. § 1.97 are waived for those documents submitted in reply to this requirement. This waiver extends only to those documents within the scope of this requirement under 37 C.F.R. § 1.105 that are included in the applicant's first complete communication responding to this requirement. Any supplemental replies subsequent to the first communication responding to this

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requirement and any information disclosures beyond the scope of this requirement under 37 C.F.R. § 1.105 are subject to the fee and certification requirements of 37 C.F.R. § 1.97.

4. The applicant is reminded that the reply to this requirement must be made with candor and good faith under 37 CFR 1.56. Where the applicant does not have or cannot readily obtain an item of required information, a statement that the item is unknown or cannot be readily obtained will be accepted as a complete response to the requirement for that item.

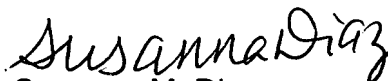
5. This requirement is subject to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.134, 1.135 and 1.136 and has a shortened statutory period of TWO (2) months. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

6. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Susanna M. Diaz whose telephone number is (571) 272-6733. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday-Friday, 8 am - 4:30 pm.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, James Trammell can be reached on (571) 272-6712. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

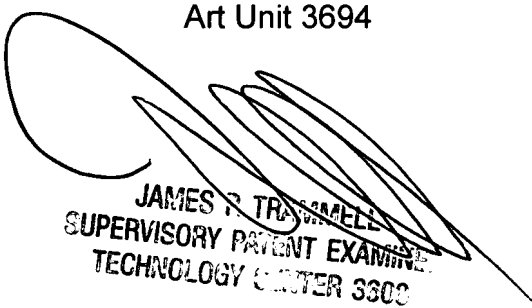
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